FINANCIAL ESTIMATES.

CLAIMS AND SUITS.

Ordinances, were presented by him, but not being in form as directed by the com-

venient means by which they could enjoy a visit to the country, and seem to be disappointed at the company's supposed indifference to their rights. The officers of the road deny that there is any ground tor the report, and no one has been found who could say of his own knowledge that any one had been employed upon the road at less than the customary wages. It is not known who has put this report in circulation nor how it has been kent co-

is not known who has put this report in circulation nor how it has been kept going with so little foundation, but the of ficers of the road have resolved that an end shall be put to it in a way about which there can be no uncertainty. They have stopped work on the improvements east of the city, and will not resume until they are sure that no dissatssfaction exists, either among those in their employ or among other workingmen throughout the

Death of Mr. Fred Laughlin.

is a peculiarly sad one; coming so soon after that of his father makes

sisters. Mr. Laughlin was to have been married in a few days and had already rented a house on North Main street and made partial arrangements for furnish-

The funeral will take place to-morrow

morning at 10 o'clock, from the residence of his uncle, Mr. Samuel Laughlin, on Chapline street. The interment will be

The old saying "opposition is the life of business" has not been sustained in one instance at least. Since the introduction of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup all other cough remedies have been dead stock.

The Biver Still Rising.

The river continued rising yesterday, al-

BILWAUKEE LAGER BRED.

regitor show a marked decrease. The figures are vouched for as correct in

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Now have on sale their entire stock of Spring and Summer Dry Goods and

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And thus protect your wife and children. The Ohio Valley Life Insurance Company of Wheeling, affords reliable Life Insur-ance at rates within reach of smalt in-comes. The average cost hast year in the Ohio Valley was less than that of any comes. The average cost last year in the Ohio Valley was less toan that of any other Life hasurance Compuny or Society in the country. The Ohio Valley has in eight years paid over 200,000 Dollars to widows and orphans of occeased member widows and orphans of occeased member of the value of the country. The value 1885, no wiinstanding widows and orphans of occeased members. The year 1885, no witnistanding the hard times, was the most prosperous year of its history.

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Thermometer Becord.

The following shows the range of the thermometer as observed at Schnepf's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday: 7 A. M., 30°; 12 M., 35°; 3 P. M., 36°; 7 P. M., 35°, INDICATIONS.

Washington, D. C., March 24.—1 A. M.— For the Ohio Valley and Tennessee, fair weather, slowly rising temperature, winds generally shifting to southwesterly.

For Lower Lake Region, warmer, fair weather, winds generally shifting to

A wire Nail Mill.

A new steel-wire nail and tack factory will be started at Sharon, Pa., within the next sixty days, a local company, with abundance of capital, having been formed for that purpose. The abandoned brass foundry has been leased and will be used as a factory. From twenty to thirty machines will be used at first, but the members of the ürm state that eventy-five will be operation at the end of the year. S. D. Simonton, Jr., will be Manager and Joséph Higgs Superintendent of the concern. The machines to be used are of a new style, and are the invention of the Superintendent. Forty hands will find employment.

LOCAL BREVITIES, latters of Minor Moment in and About th

THE Baltimore & Ohio Railroad pay car was in town yesterday paying the em-

ployes.

MASTER CHARLEY BARE has purchased a forty-two-inch ideal bloycle and will now roll along at a lively rate.

THE Alhambra Palace Rink will celebrate the first anniversary of its opening on the 9th prox. by giving a Mikado carnival.

office to be established at Thompson, Mar-shall county, W. Va., with C. O. Mathews, as Postmaster. This office will be located at Round Buttom on the line of the Oblo

There is some talk, not tracable as yet to any responsible source, of a probability that Wheeling will at an early day have another pottery added to her industries. It is said that a New Jersey firm is prospecting with some idea of removing its works here. Whether there is anything in the proposition could not be ascertained yesterday.

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John Mooney was arraigned in police court yesterday morning charged, with attempting to rob a Steubenville drover named Kamm, in the Columbia house alley early yesterday morning. Kamm failing to appear, Mooney was discharged, Kamm was druak, and was exhibiting a small roll of money in public places Monday night, announcing that he had \$1,500 and his check was good for \$15,000. Some men followed him till they had an opportunity to "hold him up," but he yelled so he slarmed the whole ward, and the men fled. Kamm was cut on the head, he said fled. Kamm was cut on the head, he said by a blow from a "billy."

ABOUT PROPER.

Strangers in the City and Wheeling Folks
Abroad.

Mr. Will Dovener is on the sick list.

Squire McConnell, of West Liberty, was W. Kotzebue, of New Martins

ville, is at the St. James.

Mr. Theodore Klevis is moving into his

Side,

Mr. H. R. Howard, of Point Pleasant, and Hou, John M. Oolins, of Kanawha county, are in the city.

Mr. H. S. White, of Belton, was at the McLure house yesterday; also Mr. M. B. Campbell, of New Cumberland.

Mr. Joseph Klapheck, who has been or a visit to his sister in Philadelphia for the oust month, has returned home.

Sam Barkley, the base ballist, came home from Pittsburgh yesterday, on ac-count of the serious illness of his mother, who lives on the island.

Mrs. J. C. Alderson and daughter have returned to the city after an extended visit to Greenbrier county, and as formerly, the family will reside at the McLure house.

Rev. Father Deehan, of this city, is in Philadelphia, at the bedside of his lather, who is a prominent contractor of that city, and who is lying dangerously ill at his home there.

Subscribers to the INTELLIGENCES who move on April 1 should promptly leave their new address, as well as the old one at the counting room, that there may be no delay in changing their papers. A Pleasing Entertainment.

The Young Men's Christian Association building was very much crowded with ladies and gentlemen last evening. Standing room was at a premium. The occasion was the reception to the members and friends of the Association. The programme was arranged to please, and was carried out to the great satisfaction of all. The first number was an admirably rentered. W. Maumer. Hopkins. Fine ricture sign dings. Et. Nicoli. Shoot Team—R. Il List, Drouglat. Olive Oil-H. J. Suryh. Hopkins. Fine ricture sign dings. Et. Nicoli. Shoot Team—R. Il List, Drouglat. Olive Oil-H. J. Suryh. The Colors at Kirk's ART STORE.

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GREAT reduction in Metalic Lusters, Jewels, Spangles, &C., at LARGEST variety of Portrait Frames and Mouldings in the city, and lowest very delightful. The Young Men's Christian Association

Matinees at both theatres to-day

Opera House this evening—Frank 1. Frayne in "Si Slocum." Academy this evening-Dillon & Sted-

man's company in "Esmeralda."

The sale of reserved seats will commen

night was again delighted with the per-formance of "Si Sicoum." Those fond of fun and music should not fall to see the company this afternoon or this evening, as these are their last performances.

as these are their last performances.

The company playing "Esmersida" at Charley Shay's Academy this week is as good a dramatic organization in all respects as has been seen in Wheeling this season. The pleasing and pathetic play is naturally and artistically presented. The matines to-day should be crowded with ladies. The costumes worn ought to seame this. to assure this.

Mr. McLaughlin, of McLaughlin & McGinley, was last evening presented with a beautiful pet by Capt. Dave Davis, of the McLaughlin Towboat Company, who brought him up from New Martinaville. The animal is a catamount, which was captured in the back part of Wetsel county after killing a call! He is a magnifucent specimen of a rare species of wild cat, standing about a foot high-and being some thirty inches long. He is extremely savage, and shows his anger not by "spitting," as do most of the cat family, but by growling like a dog. Mr. McLaughlin has him cased at his place on the corner of Water and Twelfth streets. Mr. McLaughlin, of McLaughlin & Mc-

Plane Moving.

Parties wishing their planes moved will please leave their orders early. I have experienced and careful men who understand their business.

MWAF C. A. HOUSE,

A Squalling Baby. Why is a newly-born baby like a gale of wind? Because it begins with a squall. Cold gales induce coughs and croup. Tay-lor's Oherokee Hemedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein will cure it.

A STRONG MESSAGE.

and Opinions Plainly Expressed. Moral Rottenness Prevailing. Mayor Jacob W. Grubb presented his annual communication to Council last

carnival.

Mr. T. M. Garvin was yesterday circulating a polition among the attorneys for the purpose of forming a bar association. He met with great success.

The entertainments to be given by the smaller pupils of the Ritchie district school has been postponed until April 9 on account of the prevalence of measles.

Yesternay the sky was clear and pleasant, but a cold wind blew. The red sunset last night is a more reliable indication of a bright genial day to day that "Old Prob's" prognostications.

The Posimater General has ordered an office to be established at Thompson, Marshall properties and by any Mayor of the city for a number of years, although the ordinance defining the duties of that official yery plainly states that such reports small be made each year. Last year's report was therefore a novelty, and this one was not much less so. That it was interesting was proven by the close attention paid by members in both branches to its reading. was proven by the close attention paid by members in both branches to its reading.

was proven by the close attention paid by members in both branches to its reading the second by the conclusion of the reading Assistant Secretary of the Gas Works and Council man Pickett moved to receive and file the communication. Mr. Shanley thought the paper one of too much importance to be pigon-holed, and moved that it be referred to a special committee of members from each branch for investigation, examination and report. Mr. Pickett thought that by filing the paper and it that he cared about. Mr. Shanley said every one's business was no one's husiness and that the report was of such importance as to demand more than passing notice. Mr. Poterson moved to refer to the several boards and committees the various portions of the communication:

THE MAYON'S ANNUAL REPORT.

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GENTLAMEN:—According to the requirements of law and custom, it is incumbent on the Mayor to annually submit a communication to this honorable body in relation to the interests of the city generally, and make such recommendations touch-ng the management of its officers for the current year as he may deem best for the

Using your analytic bases of the using work of the control of the user of the control of the con

of the city the law is an absurd one and should be repealed, he having neither the influence nor authority of some of your clerks of departments.

A VETO POWER NEEDED.

I believe the law should be so amended as to make the Mayor the official head of the city government. He should be vested with a veto power and held responsibility for the conduct of every department. Landed with this responsibility he must to the city. Loaded with this responsibility he must to the city.

In recessity be conservative and National politics would have no proper place in matters of mere municipal concern. If the administration is bad, the people know the market clerks and one that the administration is bad, the people know taxes on the installment plan with interwhere to place the blame and where to glind the remedy.

THE NIGHT SOIL NUISANCE. I desire to call your attention to a shameful and inhumane practice that has been
permitted to continue for years, the throwing of night soil in the river at Fortyeichth street, and this notwithstanding the
earnest protest of the people of Benwood
and Beliaire. I firmly believe that much
of the mortality in those places can be
traced to this cause. Either a crematory
should be erected or a boat used to carry
the matter below those points. Perhaps
a mutual arrangement could be made to
share the expense by those interested.

The welfars of our people should not be
neglected in the matter of the sawage of
the First ward, in which is located the
Hospital. It is above the water works, I desire to call your attention to a shame

Hospital. It is above the water works, and much of it must necessarily enter the reservoirs.

POLICE INEFFICIENCY.

It has been my duty on several occasions It has been my duty on several occasions to call your attention to the inefficiency of the Police Department, and to prove it I might deluge your ears with a rectal of the growing moral rottenness of this community—of the vile dives that have been permitted to grow and fester under the eyes of the police, even under the nose of this Council, which has in the peat shown little desire to stop it.

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hibit women of the town congregating in or about these salcons.

An ordinance in conformity with State laws should be made compelling the destruction of garabling instruments when captured by the police.

An ordinance should also be adopted, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors

to minors.

The establishment of a reform school

that have been made for individual cases and in many instances they conflict, not only with each other, but with the State laws as well. A thorough revision should

The new Fire and Police Board having employed a clerk to perform the duties fermerly done by the Clerk of the Committees, renders useless the further continuance of the later. I would suggest that the office be abolished.

Disclaiming any desire to dictate to this Council. I make the accessions because it.

Council, I make the suggestions because it is the law and I believe they are to the interest of this community.

Very respectfully,

JACOB W. GRURH,

THE COUNCIL ROUTINE. Church Versus Saloon-Minor Matters Con

The regular semi-monthly meeting of The regular semi-monthly meeting of Council last evening was largely attended by members, and there was a large lobby present. In the Second Branch the absences were Measrs. Hildreth, Jones, Miller and Smith. In the First, Measrs. J. W. Schultse and U. A. Wingerter falled to answer to their names. Mayor Grubb and President Sweenay presided in their respective branches.

and President sweeney presided in their respective branches.

The Gas Trustees again presented the name of Samuel M. Darrah for confirmation as Superintendent of the Gas Works, their report this time being signed by Dr. T. H. Logan whose signature was not affixed to the former report presenting Mr. Darrah's name. He was confirmed in the Second Branch without opposition. In the First the ayes and noes were demanded. Mr. A. J. Schulize voting with the minority made the vote 8 to 6 in favor of ed. Mr. A. J. Schuller voling which me minority made the york 8 to 6 in favor of confirmation. Mr. Darrah's bond, with T. M. Darrah and Alex T. Young as stre-ties was approved, and Mr. Darrah, who was present, was the recipient of numer-ous congratulations.

· LICENSES GRANTED.

Licenses to keep coffee-houses ware granted as follows: T. F. Porter, at No. 2135 Main street, with P. Welty and S. O. mest sixty days, a local company, with abundance of capital, having been formed for that purpose. The abandoned brass foundry has been leased and will be used as a factory. From twenty to thirty machines will be used at first, but the members of the firm state that seventy-five will be operation at the end of the year. S. O. Simonton, Jr., will be Manager and Joseph Higgs Superintendent of the concern. The machines to be used are of a new style, and are the invention of the Euperintendent. Forty hands will find employment.

Our stock is entirely new and includes the latest spring styles. Call in.

Noble Rass.

asked for license to keep next to the Wes-

Getting gas on their own Hook-The Paper Referred-Bellaire Grants Right of Way to Flinn & Gillesple.

asked for license to keep next to the Wesley M. E. Chapel. There was a petition algoed by several hundred people protesting against this. Rev. Spencer King, pastor of the church, Rev. G. E. Hite, P. E. of this district, and Councilman McCoy addressed the Branch in opposition to granting—not as temperance men or prohibitionists but protesting against the saloon being next to the church. Mr. Joseph Emsheimer appeared for Dolan and delivered a spirited address. Dolan finally made arrangements with Mr. Asmus, his landlord, for another piece of property and license was granted.

The semi-monthly report of Clerk Bowers showed that \$34 643 22 has been expended out of the \$80,914 87 appropriated, for the first three months of the year, leaving a balance of \$37,271 65.

Clerk Bowers further reported that the appropriations of the several departments were insufficient and should be amended before April 1 in order to meet the liabilities due at that time. This was referred to the Committee on Finance. As announced in vesterday's INTELL ENCER an ordinance was introduced in Council at its meeting last evening, grantbanded together as the "Manufacturers' Gas Company," the right to pipe natural Banded together as the "Manufacturers' Gas Company," the right to pipe natural gas into the city for use in the manufacturing establishments of the city. The announcement that this would be done served to attract to the meeting representatives of all the establishments interested and a number of others. Captain C. W. Batchelor, of Pittaburgh, President of the West Virginia Natural Gas Company, was also present, closely watching proceedings connected with the granting of privileges to his company's rival.

A petition signed by the firms named in the ordinance and the ordinance were presented in the First Branch, read and referred without debate to a special committee composed of three members from each Branch, it to report on the proposed ordinance at the next meeting of Council.

The Second Branch concurred in this. ent fiscal year were presented by the ollowing committees and Boards and re-

presented in the First Branch, read and referred without debate to a special committee composed of three members from each Branch, it to report on the proposed ordinance at the next meeting of Council. The Second Branch concurred in this. This committee will be appointed by Mayor Grubb and President Sweeney, of the Second Branch, to-day. THE ORDINANCE.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Section 1. Permission is hereby granted

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted the Manufacturers' Gas Company to lay pipes in and under the streets, alleys and public grounds of the city of Wheeling, for the purpose of conducting natural gas for heating purposes, to the several manufactories owned and operated by Hobbs, Brockunier & Co., the Wheeling Iron and Nail Co., the Wheeling Pottery Co., Whittaker, Iron Co., Wheeling Hinge Co., Norway Tack Co., Bodley Bros., Ewing & Bell Lantern Co., and LaBelle Iron Works, persons, Irms and corporations engaged in manufacturing in the city of Wheeling, who have associated themselves together as the "Manufacturers' Gas Company," and to the several manufacturies of other persons, irms and corporations engaged in manufacturing in the city of Wheeling, who have associated themselves together as the "Manufacturers' Gas Company," and to the several manufactories of other persons, irms and corporations engaged in manufacturing in A resolution offered by Mr. A. Cald well, instructing the Committee on Fi-nance to consider and report in relation to the judgment of \$8,586, with interest, to the judgment of \$8,568, with interest, sgainst the city by the U. S. District Court, in the case of Spies vs. the city, and to take notice of the same in p eparing the year's appropriations, was adopted by both branches.

A resolution offered by Mr. Caldwell, was adopted directing special commissioners W. P. Hubbard and Alf. Caldwell, appropriate in the case of carting phanes. orporations engaged in manufacturing in corporations engaged in manufacturing in the city, who may become members of said "Manufacturers' Gas Company"; but no right is hereby granted to transport natural gas for sale to others than such manufacturers, or otherwise than for the use and consumption of such manufac-turers in their business at their respective rannifactories.

manufactories.

Section 2. The grant in the foregoing secion is upon condition that the gas conduction is upon condition that the gas conducted through such pipes shall not be sold by said company for lighting purposes, so as it company to the fact with the gas manufactured by the city. Such grant is upon the further condition that said company in laying its pipes, and all other work postaining. pipes, and all other work pertaining thereto, shall be subject to and comply

mittee, were referred back to it.

WORK SUPPENDED

on the Wheeling & Ems Grove Railread
Improvements East of Town.

There has been some comment during
the last few days among the workingmen
of the city upon the reported action of this
company in the employment of laborers at
reduced rates of pay. The workingmen
have always looked with peculiar favor
upon this little road as the only convenint means by which they could enjoy
a visit to the country, and seem to be dissppointed at the company's supposed indifference to their rights. The officers of
the road deny that there is any ground
tor the report, and no one has been found
who could say of his own knowledge that
any one had been employed upon the

struction, maintenance and operation of said pipe lines. Section four provides that the pipes are to be laid under the direction and suspervision of the Board of Public Works and an Inspector to be appointed by the Board who shall recieve \$5 per day to be paid by the company; but the Council shall have the company; but the C annul any action of the Board of Inspector respecting the pipes. Before opening over the prisoner became somewhat expanditiously and travel must not be unnecessarily obstructe. All repairs not made by the company may be made by the Board at the company's expense.

A very sad case of sickness and death is now being experienced by Thomas Lewis' family at Ennville. The father of Mrs.

WHAT MR. FLINN SAYS.

The Status, Intentions and Views of the

among these in their employ or among other workingmen throughout the city. They know how largely they must depend on the workingmen for the travel on their road and prefer to delay the com-pletion of their improvements rather than that any breach should occur in the good feeling of the public toward the road. The establishment of a reform school has become a necessity, as the too frequent appearance of children in the courts bears witness.

In granting liceuses to keep ordinaries rater of the plane or the character of the plane or the character of the parson interested. The law is plain on the subject and should apply to the silent puriner as well as to the applicant.

The ordinance book is filled with laws that have been made for individual cases and in many instances they conflict, not form of Laughlin Bros. & Co. His death company as the were an exclusive privilege. If, however, your the character of the person individual cases and in many instances they conflict, not form of Laughlin Bros. & Co. His death company. There is business enough in this community for two companies and the registers of the wholesale drug as member of the wholesale drug as member of the wholesale drug is a peculiarly sad one; coming were used to the service of the character of the person interested. The law is plain on the subject and should apply to the silent puriner as well as to the applicant the courts of the person interested. The law is plain on the subject and should apply to the silent puriner as well as to the applicant provides the person interested. The law is plain on the subject and should apply to the person interested. The law is plain on the subject and should apply to the subject and should apply to the person interested. The law is not the subject and should apply to the person interested the person interested. The law is an early hour yesterday morning at the residence of Mrs. Richardson, on Four-velocity, dead at an early hour yesterday morning at the residence of Mrs. Richardson, on Four-velocity dead the would like to have very clearly understood. We have no quarrel with any other company. There is business enough in this community for two companies and out the subject to the subject to the plain of the whole and the provided in this community for two companies and I doubt whether three could more than supply the gas that will be required; but our company does not propose to come into Wheeling, which has already granted an exclusive privilege. If, however, your Council permits your manufacturers to meet us as we cross the river, and bring our gas in for their own purposes, there will still be a larger demand in Wheeling than any one company is likely to be will still be a larger demand in Wheeling than any one company is likely to be able to supply for some time to come. We are not here asking anything of the city of Wheeling; that is a matter between the city and the local manufacturers. The second point is that we have the gas. We have our wells already flowing to turn into the pipes as soon as we can get it laid. The third point is that we have the pipe. I need hardly add, after what I have already said, that we after what I have already said, that we after what I have already said, that we have the money to carry the project through. We only await the leave of the municipal corporations on the other side of the river to go alread and begin work. We ask no exclusive privilege anywhere, for we know that we could not supply the whole demand, and we are not afraid of frees convettion. In making our considerations of the convention of the convention of the convention of the convention of the convention. free competition. In making our con The river continued rising yesterday, although after noon it came up very slowly. Last evening the marks indicated a depth in the channel of about 22 feet and the river was full of steamers belonging to the coal fleet and their tows nearly all day, as it has been for three days past. A number of steamers passed up light, making all speed in order to reach Pittsburgh in time to take out more coal on this rise, having left their tows at points below where they can be handled after the river fails. The Andes got away in good time. The General Pike passed up and the Katle Stockdale down. The W.-N. Chancellor is due up to-day. tracts we have proceeded on the basis of the Philadelphia Company of Pittsburgh traces we have proceeded in the obasis of the Philadelphia Company of Pittaburgh and we expect to continue this policy with all other manufacturers who may desire our gas, and with all householders across the river whom we may supply. We are waiting now the action of the Councils of Martin's Ferry and Bridgeport, the Bellaire Council having passed the ordinance to-night. We have stated the proposition very clearly over there and think that no obstacles will be placed in our way. It is of great importance, however, that whatever is to be done shall be done as soon as possible, for we are under contract to have our gas in by October 1, and we shall try to get in even earlier than that. We would like to have our ordinances passed in Bridgeport and Martin's Ferry so that we may begin work as soon as the frost is out of the ground and push it vigorously to a conclusion,"

ACTION AT BELLAIRE, The Council Passes the Ordinance-Anothe Proposed.

The City Council of Bellaire last night

passed the ordinance granting the Messré Film and Gillespie the right to lay and maintain their pipes, make connections ste., in the streets and alleys of the city etc., in the streets and alleys of the city, There was but one dissenting vote, that of Mr. Zilch. Another ordinance was reported by the committee, said to have been prepared by the Solicitor, requiring a bond of \$20,000 to save the city harmless from damagner or suits; limiting the price of gas to ten cents per thousand feet, \$1 per month for any fire place or store, and \$11.00 10.00 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 imposing other restrictions of a novel character. This ordinance was tabled. The West Virginia Natural Gas Com-pany was represented at the meeting by

J. A. Gallaher, Esq., who presented an ordinance giving that company the same rights as granted the other people. This requires the gas to be in Bellaire by October 1, and limits the price to ten cents. A special meeting of Council was called for Friday night next to take action on this ordinance.

Present Gas and Oil Operations in the Neighboring Fields. A correspondent writing from the Hanock county district says: The Shenango John P. Miller farm last week. The Ohio Gas Company last week got their tools

THE WASHINGTON FIELD

The company of which Mr. C. D. Rob-bins is at the head began Monday to lay a line of eight and ten-inch, pipe to Stanban-ville from Mt. Pleasant township in Wash-The ordinance is entited, "An ordinance granting to the Manufacturers' Gas Company the right to lay and maintain pipes in the streets, alleys and public grounds of the city of Wheeling, for conducting natural gas to be used for heating purposes."

I like it is rom. Mt. Flossant township in Washington county. The line will be between sighteen and twenty miles in length. The company has contracted with several of the glass-factories and mills of the city of and will, likely, in addition to the domestic service, extend to Mingo and furnish gas to the mill, furnace and sheet plant there.

There will probably be an interesting debate here within a few weeks. Rev. R. F. Keeler, of the First M. E. Church, has lately preached a series of sermons on baptism, of which subject he has long made a special study. Many members of the Christian, or Disciples, church have been listening to some of three sermons and the result is that the Christian church officially challenges Rev. R. F. Keeler to debate the subject of battism and immersion within three The tools of the drillers for the West baptism and immersion within three weeks. The points made by this church in the matter are as follows: 1. Sprink-ling or Pouring is Baptism; we deny. 2. Immersion is Baptism; we affirm. 3. Ohristian Baptism is for remission of sins we affirm.

The tools of the drillers for the West Virginia company, near West Alexander, are fast at depth of 1,500 feet. It is expected that drilling will go on again in a few days.

The Conroy & Johnson well, the most western of all wells in the Washington field, has been put through the Gordon sand without developing any indications of oil or gas, and will be abandoned.

The Pittsburgh Commercial Gazette says:

"The paople of Martin's Ferry, Bridgeport and Bellaire, O., are watching the efforts of Hearne & Callwell, attorneys of the West Virginia Natural Gas Company, to defeat the application of Guidey, Finn and Gillespie for rights of way for lines defeat the application of Guffey, Flinn and Gillespie for rights of way for lines through the atreets of these cities. Meantime the Pittsburgh trio, who have the gas with which to fill their contracts, have taken all of the available leases in all of the places named." Bridgepost.

Will F. Giffin received the nomination

or township tressurer.

Mr. Lewis Jones, of the Ætna Mill, was reported better yesterday.

Rev. D. Trueman's condition has con-iderable improved, but he is still unable to leave his room.

Mr. Arthur Walling, who has been act ng as ticket agent of the C. & P. at this point for some time, yesterday received his cilicial appointment, vice Harry Rhodes, resigned.

A large number of Ohlo river Jack fish are daily seized at different points in West Wheeling. There is a club in existence here for the protection of the finny tribe

A very sad case of sickness and death is now being experienced by Thomas Lewis family at Atmaville. The father of Mrs Lewis, and gentleman up in the eighties died yesterday, while Mrs. Lewis hersel. The Status, Intentions and Views of the Philadelphia Co.'s Men.

In conversation with an Interlinences and a young daughter were lying at the point of death last evening, with but the lightest hope of recovery. The eliment reporter last night Mr. William Flinn of all three seems to be pneumonia of the world like to have very clearly understood. We have no quarrel with any case.

"YEARS have not seen and time shall not see," the people sit down quietly to suffer pain, when enterprise can afford such a pauacea as Salvation Oil.

Howa Shaemaker Win - \$15,000 to Gold. How a Shoemaker Win - \$15,000 in Gold. Frederick Scharf, ashoemaker of No. 704 DeKaib ave., Brooklyn, received notice that a (Louisiana State) lottery ticket, had drawn the capital prix? Feb. 9tn, of \$75,000, entitling him to \$15,000. One of his friends named Meyers, one day bantered him to buy a lottery ticket for \$1. The two men got a list of the lucky numbers and Scharf's was among them. What to do with the money he has not decided, although a multitude of advisers are seeking to give him wisdom.—New York Tribune.

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ocrats.

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And all Itching and Scaly Skin and Scalp

operator, will be transferred to Steuben ville, April 1, and Matt Gordon, of Zanes

The members of the First M.

Some sceptics are questioning whether D. W. Cooper has ever been appointed postmaster. He has not said he was to take the office; the news that his name was sent to the Senste appeared in only one paper as a special, and the news of his confirmation has never been received. But the Mayor's calmness is too deep to rest on an insecure foundation.

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we affirm. 4. Infauts are Scriptural subjects of Christian Baptism; we deny.

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The snapping-boys of the Etna, Goblet and Belmont glass work have joined those of Rodefer Brothers in going to work. This agreement was reached just in time to prevent the bars being drawn and a long lockout begun.

Ed L. Permar, Cleveland & Pittaburgh ticket agent and Western Union telegraph congrator, will be transferred to Steuben.

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The members of the First M. E. Church last night assembled mysteriously at the home of Charles Beszle, Fourth ward, and heavily laden with baskets and bundles, went in a body, and a large body, too, to call on their pastor, Rev. R. F. Keeler, who, of course, was completely taken by surprise. MORE WONDERFUL YET.

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